

## WE NEED YOU!

## TO SHARE YOUR THOUGHTS ABOUT SITING ENERGY PROJECTS IN NEW HAMPSHIRE, PLEASE JOIN US AT ONE OF OUR INTERACTIVE NH CITIZEN INPUT WORKSHOPS!

We need YOU to provide input on how the state could improve the State Energy Facility Site Evaluation Committee (SEC) process. The SEC makes important decisions about the siting of energy facilities, including renewable energy, transmission lines, and pipelines.

Interactive workshops are being held around the state to get your input. Please come share your thoughts and experiences, and give us your opinion on how our current energy siting process could be improved. Each workshop will include brief presentations on the current SEC process, challenges and alternatives; discussions with other citizens; and polling on your option preferences. You can also provide additional comments directly to the NH Office of Energy and Planning at the end of the workshop, or via email any time.

You can participate in <u>one</u> workshop, preferably closest to where you live. Workshops begin with registration at 5:00 PM, kick-off at 6:00 PM and will end at approximately 9:30 PM.

December 3, 2013 at Manchester Memorial High School Cafeteria in Manchester

December 4, 2013 at Groveton High School Gymnasium in Groveton

December 5, 2013 at Keene Recreation Center in Keene

December 9, 2013 at the Town of Newington Main Hall in Newington

**December 10, 2013 at Plymouth Regional High School in Plymouth** (Please NOTE: The original workshop at Tilton has been relocated to Plymouth to accommodate more NH citizens)

Space is limited to 150-200 people, depending on the site, and you must pre-register in order to participate: <a href="http://www.raabassociates.org/nhoep">http://www.raabassociates.org/nhoep</a>. Registration is on a first-come first-served basis; if the workshop in your desired location is full, you may try another location or choose to be placed on a waiting list. Exact locations will be provided in a confirmation email upon successful registration.

Note: If you can't attend one of the five New Hampshire Citizen Input Workshops, OEP will also host Listening Sessions to gather input on siting issues. Information is available at the OEP website.

In order to fully participate in a workshop, please review the information provided on the OEP <u>website</u> on NH's current siting process, as well as those in other states, prior to attending.

This project is a result of Senate Bill 99, which requires the NH Office of Energy and Planning to seek public input on potential changes to NH's energy siting process. <u>Please participate!</u>

For more information, please visit <a href="http://www.nh.gov/oep/energy/programs/sb99.htm">http://www.nh.gov/oep/energy/programs/sb99.htm</a>



